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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claims 1 - 6 have been cancelled without prejudice.

Claim 7 has not been changed by this Amendment and remains as follows:

7. A key switch comprising:

a plurality of key tops made of a thermoplastic resin;

decorative layers formed on surfaces of the plurality of key tops;

extruding parts made of a thermoplastic elastomer, said extruding parts being formed

integrally with the plurality of key tops; and

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